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To: Microsoft ATR
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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Dear Sirs,

The monopoly that is Microsoft poses a severe threat to the system of economy in America. Microsoft's actions have all but completely wiped out any type of competition, which is a fundamental aspect of the Free Enterprise System. Corporations such as Apple Computer, Inc. have suffered heavily from the lies and deceit of Microsoft. Without Apple, Microsoft would not exist today, as their entire business is based on intellectual property stolen from Apple over 15 years ago. At one time, Apple was a great personal computer manufacturer, and while they still are, they have lost a huge portion of market share due to Microsoft's destructive practices. Any settlement including measures requiring Microsoft to donate money and/or product to suitable organizations will only extend their monopoly and further destroy their competition.

I believe that any settlement to the anti-trust case must involve Microsoft supporting their own competition. Microsoft should be forced to pay continued damages to its competition, such as companies like Apple. This will result in the growth of competition for Microsoft, and eventually even out the market share in the technology sector.

Whatever is chosen in this case, it must be something that will be damaging to Microsoft. You must fight fire with fire.

Thank you for your time.

Respectfully yours,
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